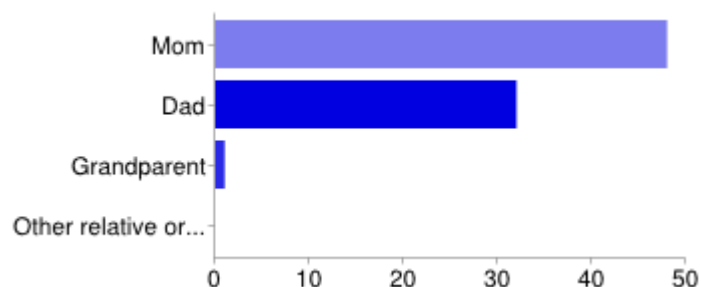


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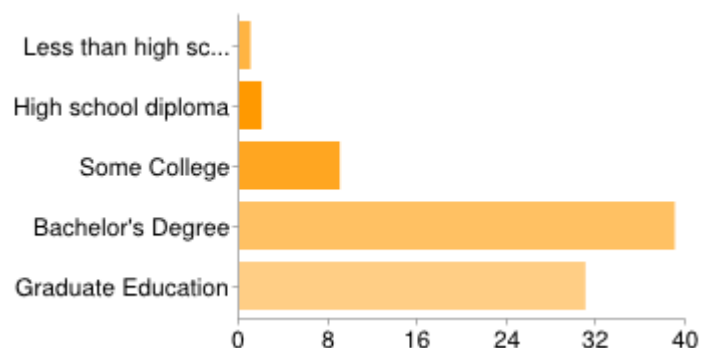
Are you a



Mom	48	59%
Dad	32	40%
Grandparent	1	1%
Other relative or guardian	0	0%

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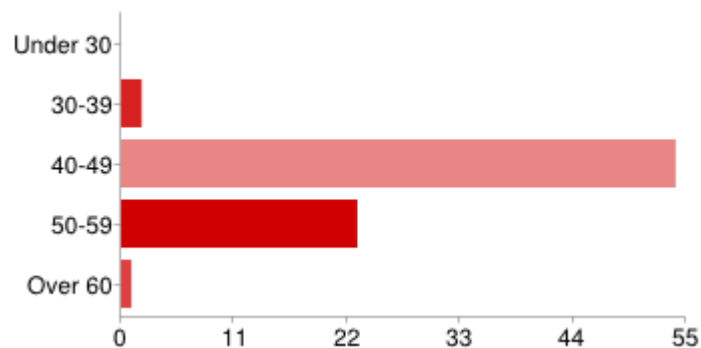
Highest level of education attained



Less than high school diploma	1	1%
High school diploma	2	3%
Some College	9	11%
Bachelor's Degree	39	49%
Graduate Education	31	39%

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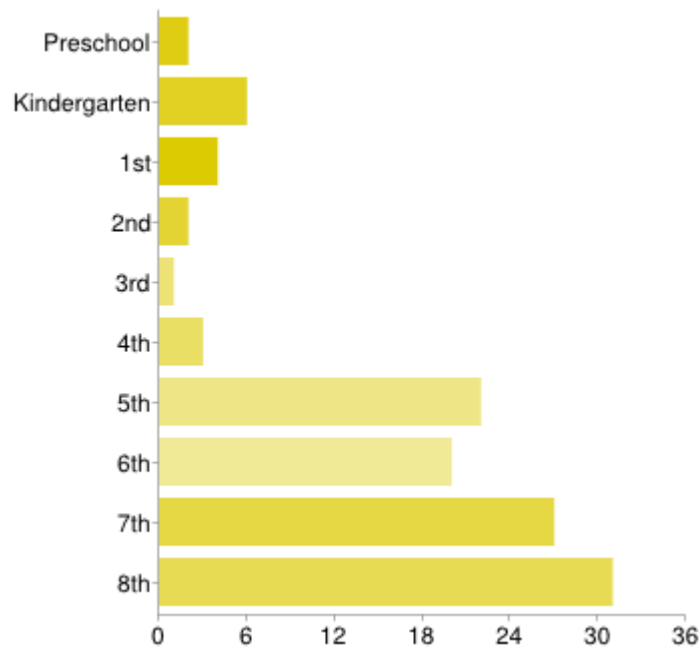
Age



Under 30	0	0%
30-39	2	3%
40-49	54	68%
50-59	23	29%
Over 60	1	1%

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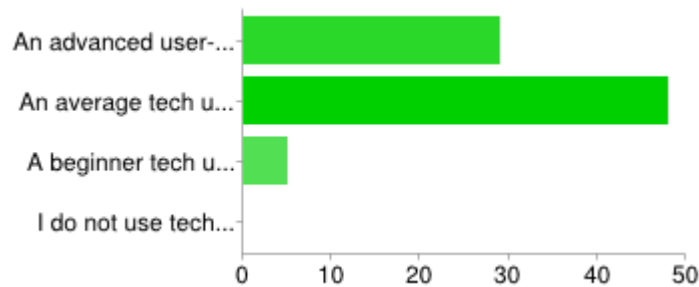
Please select any grades that your child(ren) attend at St. Rita. (check all that apply)



Preschool	2	2%
Kindergarten	6	7%
1st	4	5%
2nd	2	2%
3rd	1	1%
4th	3	4%
5th	22	27%
6th	20	25%
7th	27	33%
8th	31	38%

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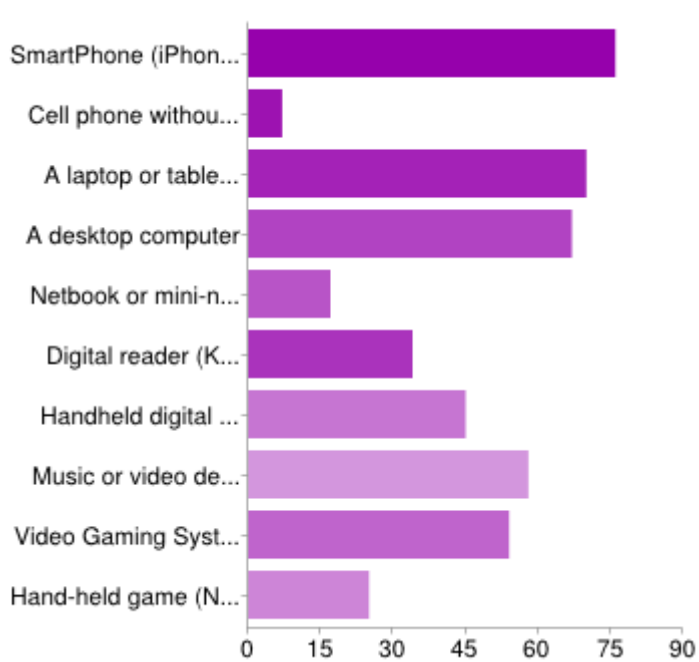
How would you describe your technology skills?



An advanced user-My skills are more advanced than most adults I know
 An average tech user-My skills are the same as most adults I know
 A beginner tech user-I am still learning how to use most technology
 I do not use technology

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What types of electronic devices do you have access to for your own use? (Check all that apply)



SmartPhone (iPhone, Blackberry, HTC Touch, etc.) with internet access

Cell phone without internet access

A laptop or tablet PC

A desktop computer

Netbook or mini-notebook computer

Digital reader (Kindle, Nook, etc)

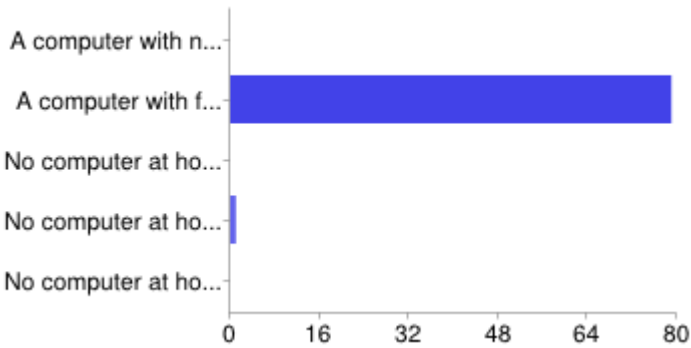
Handheld digital video camcorder (flip camera, etc)

Music or video device (MP3 player or iPod)

Video Gaming System (Wii, xBox, Playstation, etc)

Hand-held game (Nintendo 3DS, PSP, etc)

What kind of Internet access do you have at home?



A computer with no Internet access

A computer with fast Internet access (Cable, Fios, etc)

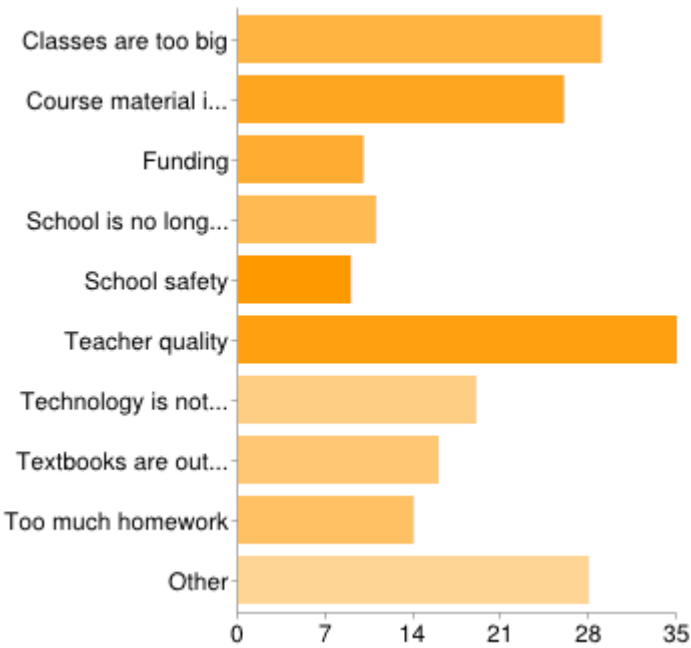
No computer at home. My primary access to technology is at school

No computer at home. My primary access to technology is elsewhere

No computer at home and no other access to technology.

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What are your top three concerns regarding your child's school right now? (limit answer to three checks)



Classes are too big 29 37%

Course material is not engaging 26 33%

Funding 10 13%

School is no longer fun for my child 11 14%

School safety 9 11%

Teacher quality 35 44%

Technology is not used to support learning 19 24%

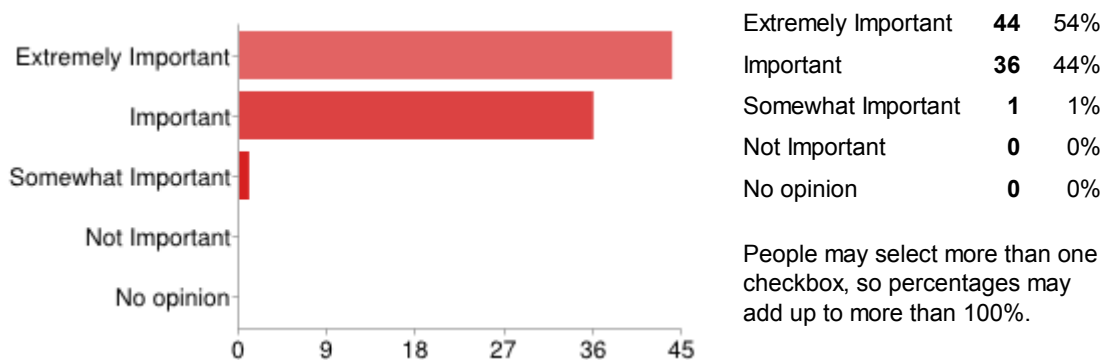
Textbooks are out of date 16 20%

Too much homework 14 18%

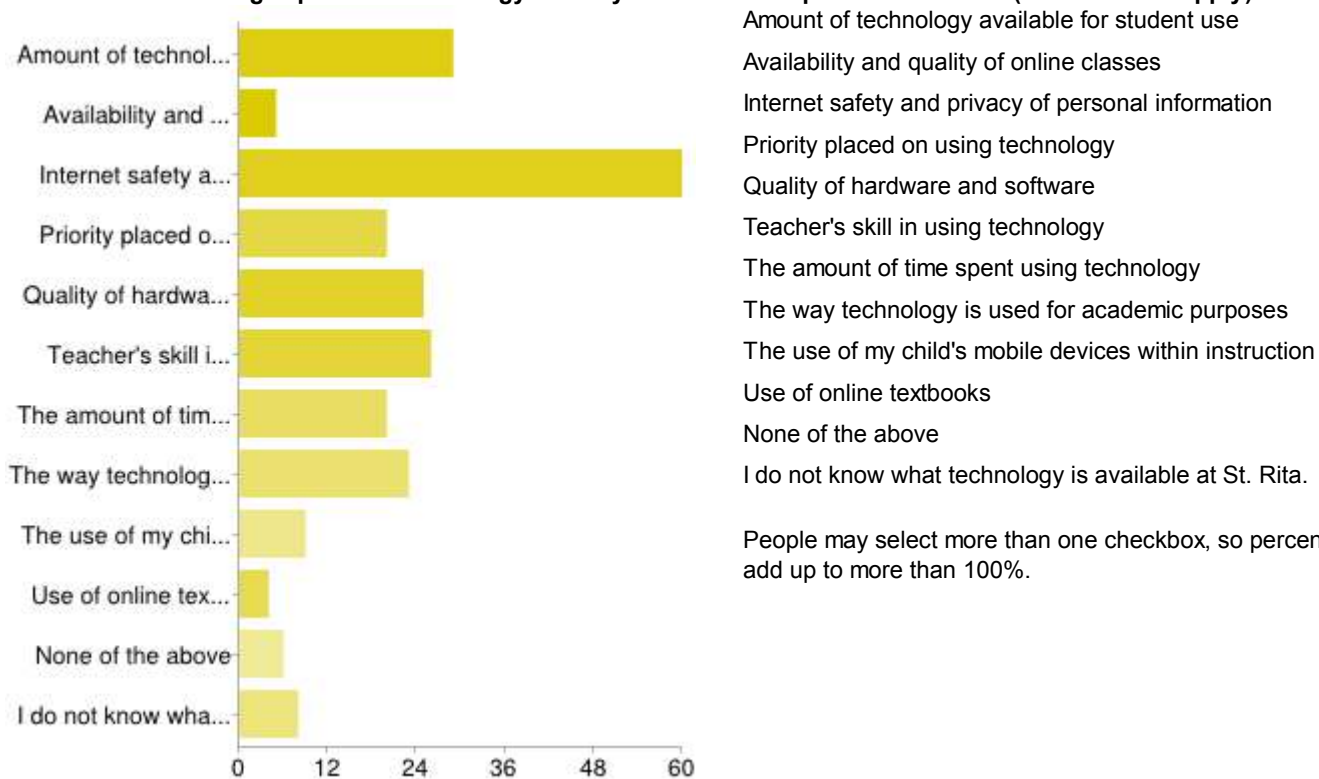
Other 28 35%

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How important is the effective implementation of technology within instruction to your child(ren)'s success?



Which of the following aspects of technology would you rate as acceptable at St. Rita? (check all that apply)



Which of the following areas of technology would you like to see St. Rita address? (check all that apply)



Amount of technology available for student use

Availability and quality of online classes

Internet safety and privacy of personal information

Priority placed on using technology

Quality of hardware and software

Teacher's skill in using technology

The amount of time spent using technology

The way technology is used for academic purposes

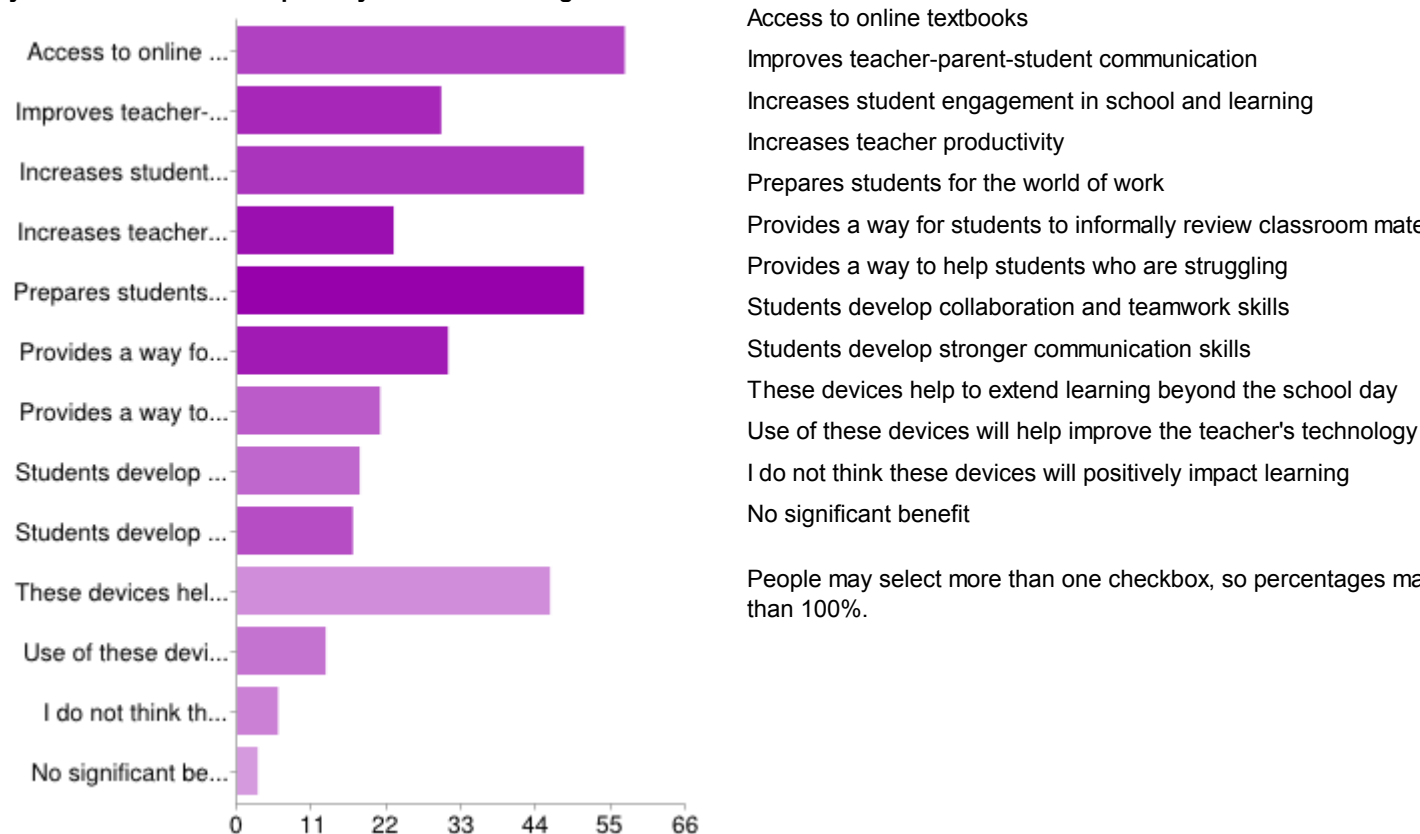
The use of my child's mobile devices within instruction

Use of online textbooks

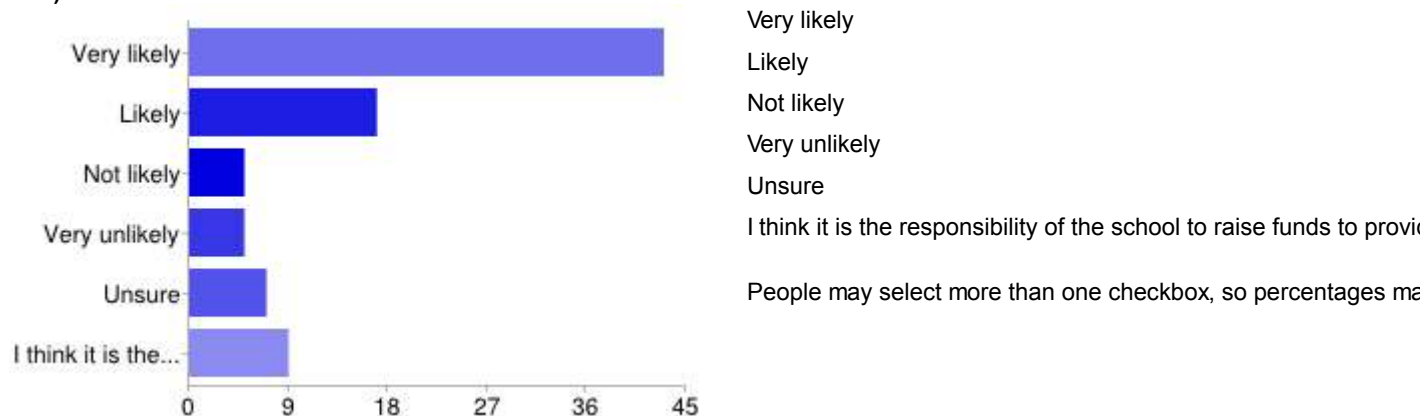
None of the above

I do not know what technology is available at St. Rita.

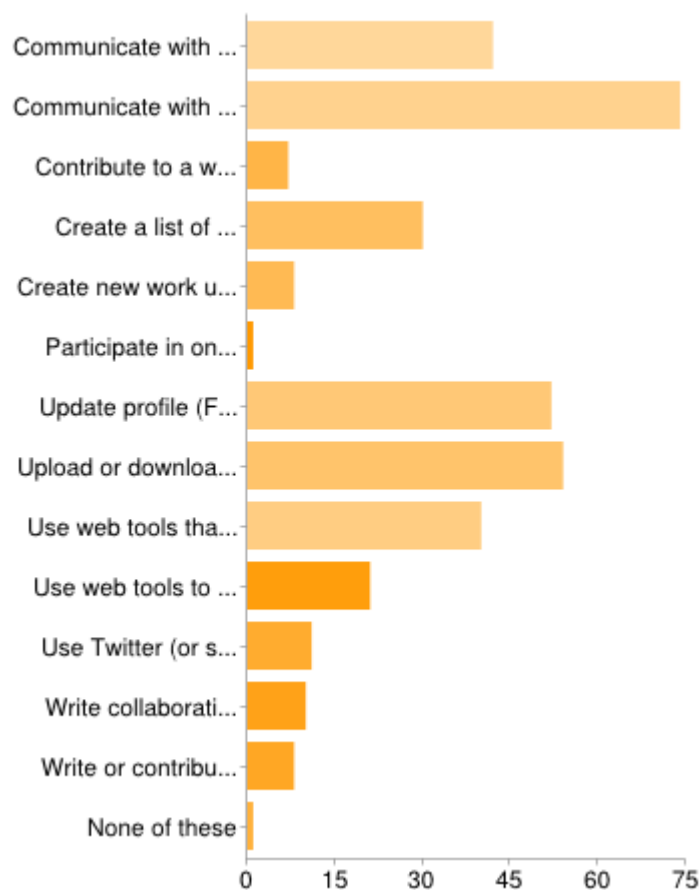
Many schools are thinking about how to use mobile learning devices (SmartPhones, iPads, MP3 players, etc) within education. What do you think would be the primary benefits of using such devices in instruction?



If St. Rita allowed the use of mobile devices (iPads, SmartPhones, MP3 players) for educational purposes, how likely would you be to use them?



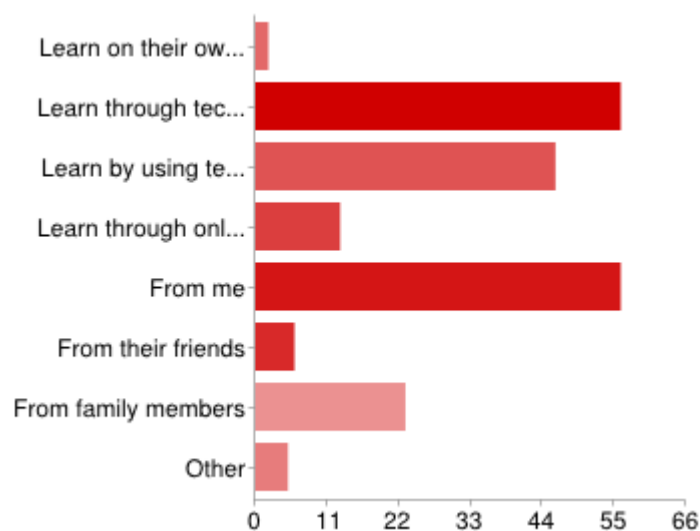
Which of these Internet based tools or applications do you use for your own personal interests?



- Communicate with others through discussion boards, social networking sites, etc
- Communicate with others through email, IM or text messaging
- Contribute to a wiki (Wikipedia, Wikispaces, etc)
- Create a list of resources I want to remember or share (Diigo, Pinterest, etc)
- Create new work using pre-existing text, graphics, audio, video content
- Participate in online games or 3D virtual reality environments (Second Life, etc)
- Update profile (Facebook, LinkedIn, etc)
- Upload or download videos, podcasts or photos to the Internet
- Use web tools that notify me about things I'm interested in (magazine, etc)
- Use web tools to create or modify and upload videos, music, audio, etc
- Use Twitter (or similar tool) to communicate or follow others
- Write collaboratively with others (Google docs, TypeWithMe, etc)
- Write or contribute to a blog (my own or someone else's)
- None of these

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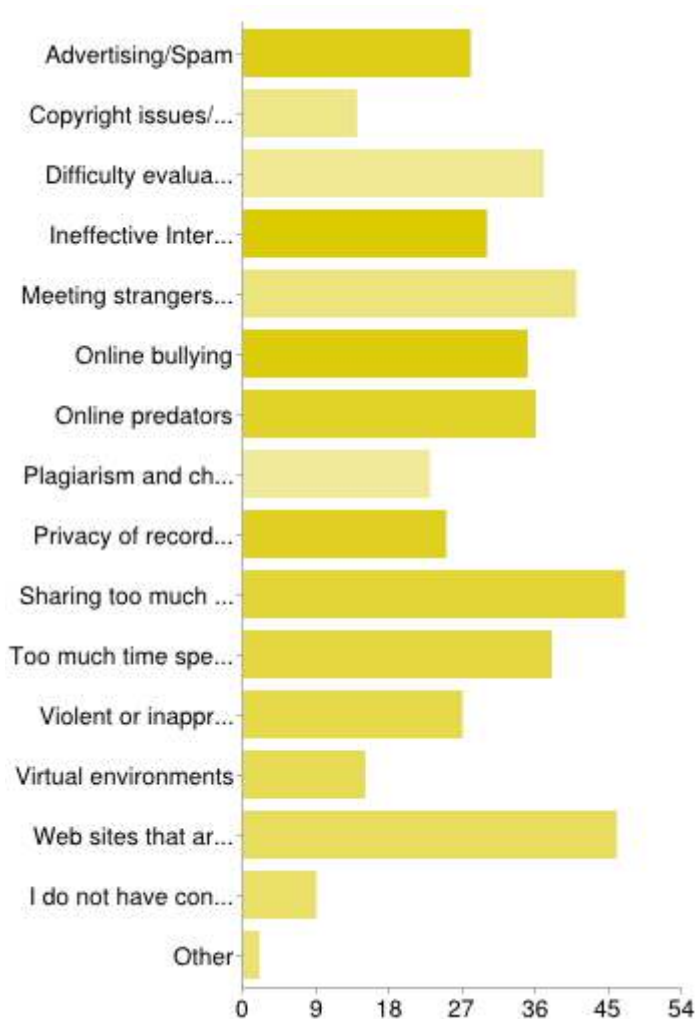
What do you think is the best way for your child(ren) to learn about being safe on the Internet?



- Learn on their own just by using technology
- Learn through technology class at school
- Learn by using technology as part of their regular classes
- Learn through online class
- From me
- From their friends
- From family members
- Other

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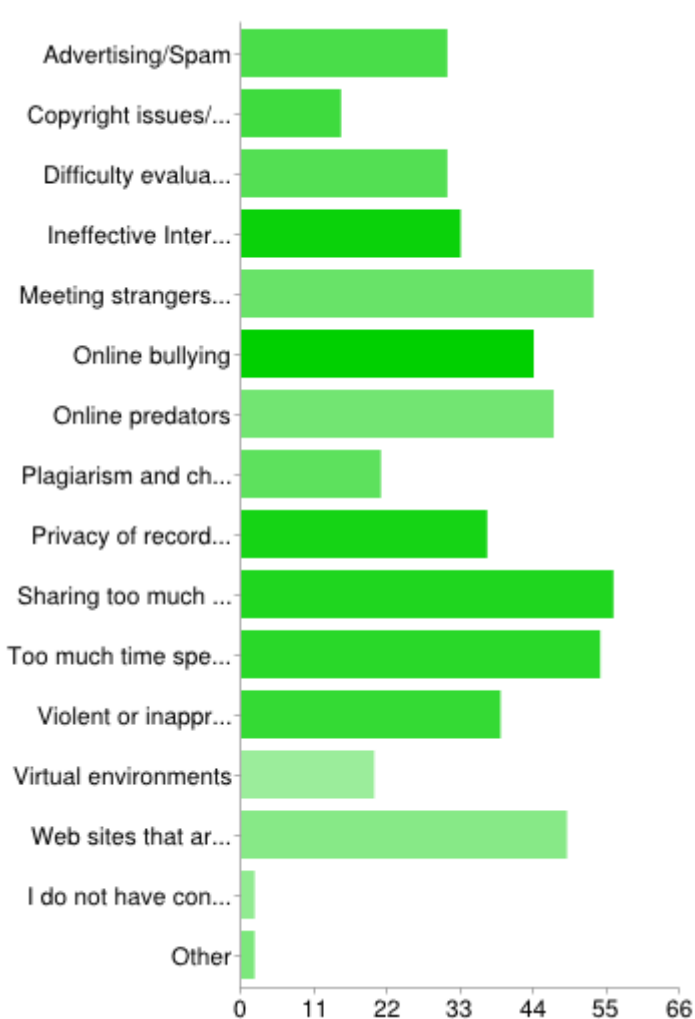
What concerns you the most about your child(ren)'s Internet use at school?



Advertising/Spam
 Copyright issues/illegal file sharing
 Difficulty evaluating the credibility of an online resource
 Ineffective Internet filters and firewalls
 Meeting strangers online
 Online bullying
 Online predators
 Plagiarism and cheating
 Privacy of records and information
 Sharing too much personal information online
 Too much time spent on the computer
 Violent or inappropriate video or online games
 Virtual environments
 Web sites that are inappropriate for my child's age
 I do not have concerns
 Other

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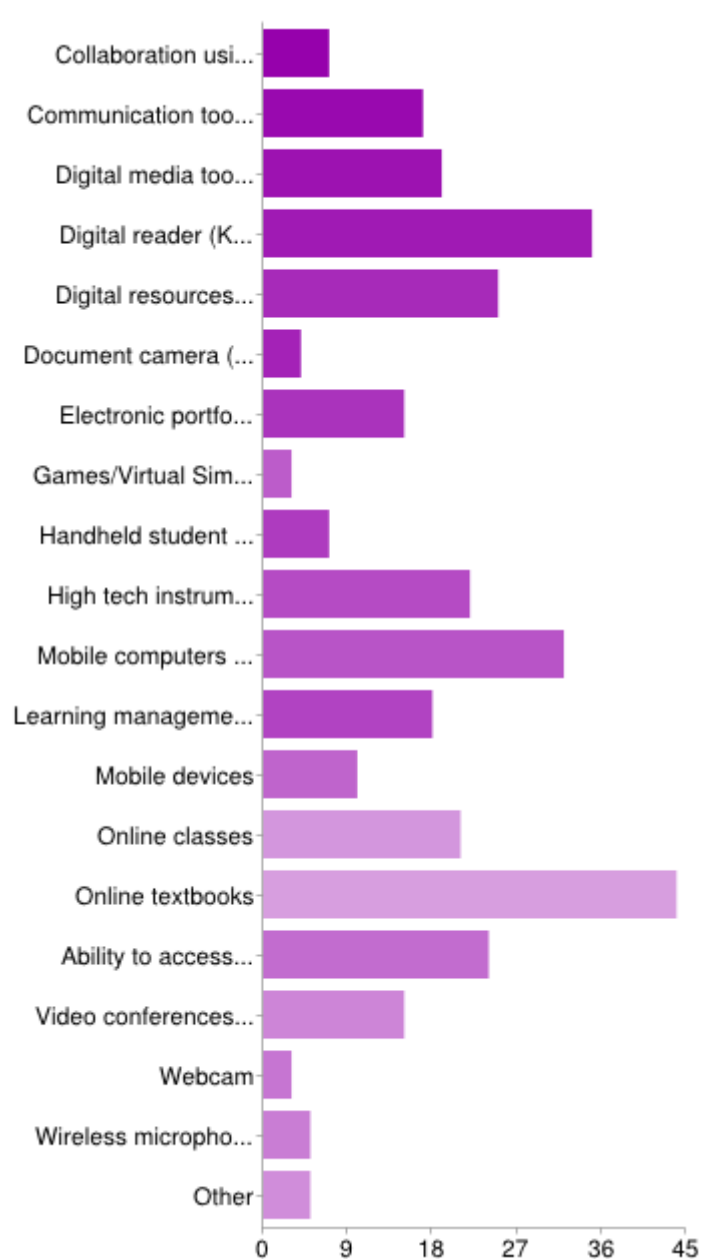
What concerns you the most about your child(ren)'s Internet use outside of school?



Advertising/Spam
 Copyright issues/illegal file sharing
 Difficulty evaluating the credibility of an online resource
 Ineffective Internet filters and firewalls
 Meeting strangers online
 Online bullying
 Online predators
 Plagiarism and cheating
 Privacy of records and information
 Sharing too much personal information online
 Too much time spent on the computer
 Violent or inappropriate video or online games
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 Web sites that are inappropriate for my child's age
 I do not have concerns
 Other

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If you could recommend a type of technology that was a good investment towards the enhancement of student achievement, what technology do you suggest?



Collaboration using Web 2.0 tools (blogs, social networking, wikis)

Communication tools (email, IM and text messaging)

Digital media tools (video, audio)

Digital reader (Kindle, Nook, etc)

Digital resources (databases, animations, videos, etc)

Document camera (Elmo, AverVision, etc)

Electronic portfolios for students

Games/Virtual Simulations

Handheld student response systems

High tech instruments for science

Mobile computers for every student (laptop, iPad, etc)

Learning management systems (Moodle, Blackboard, etc)

Mobile devices

Online classes

Online textbooks

Ability to access the Internet anywhere at school (wireless capabilities)

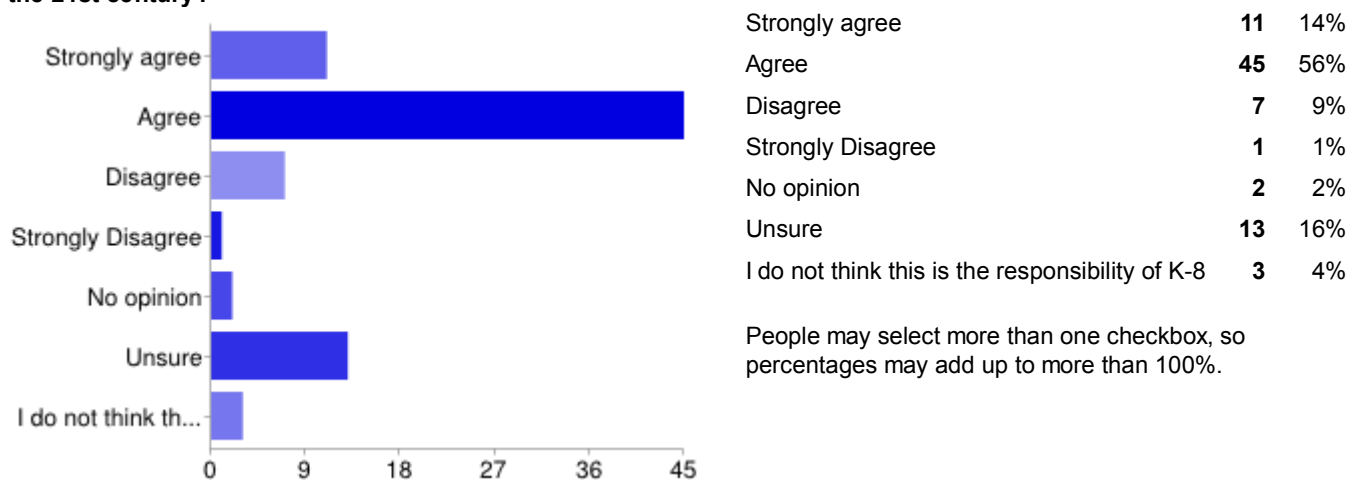
Video conferences and webinars

Webcam

Wireless microphone system for the teacher

Other

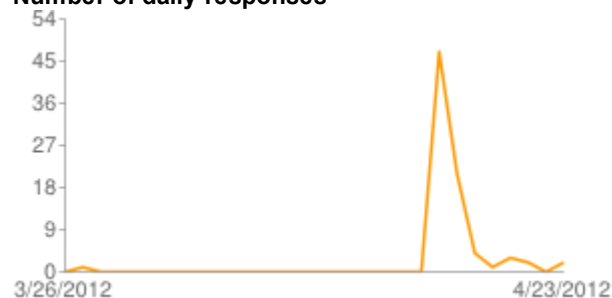
How much do you agree with this statement: St. Rita is doing a good job of preparing my child(ren) for the jobs of the 21st century?



Comments:

Cumulatively, I had had a child at St. Rita for the past 18 years. With that in mind, let me say that Michael Davies has done an outstanding job in the time I have known him. He is effective in his communication, quick to respond to issues and a true asset. I think the technology teacher's curriculum and approach for children K-4 is very mediocre. Her communication skills are virtually zero despite how I reach out to her. I do not like that she is teaching from internet sites for typing -- with hundreds of ads --- instead of a known software. I find it infuriating that she can fail children o ...

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